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Q Did you ever get started to go to it? He was
Q I did not know it started to come down. I
knew it was for that purpose; I was with Major
and Major King, I thought when we arrived
I was to come in. The Major told me to
wait; when I was inside the building, I did not
know what Major King called in the crowd
my cousin down. I thought I knew the
my cousin down.

Q And this was the only occasion you rec-
ognized him? A. That is the only time I
saw him.

Q What made you think it was the same?
The first time I saw him it was very light; I
darkened of clothes and a heavy mackinac;
he was wearing a dark slouch hat, not very
dark dress coat; his pantaloons were dark; I
say whether they were black or brown.

Q What was his size? A. I should judge
about my size, about as he was standing;
I might seem lower; I should judge
about five feet four or five inches high.

Q Had a crowd come there to serenade
him at that time? A. Yes; there were
many.

Q Was the Secretary on the steps at the
time? No; he was inside the house, and Gen. G.
there was nobody on the steps but myself.

Q Were the crowd close up to the steps
when he came out? A. Yes.

Q Was the front door open at the time?
The front door and the inner door; and the
lighted all around.

TESTIMONY OF DR. ROBERT KING
By Judge Holt.—Q. State to the Court if
you are a physician in the city? A. I am.
Q. State whether or not you were the phy-
sician President of the United States? A. I
was a family physician.

Q Did you or not you called to see
the result of his assassination; if so, state the
time you made, and the result? A. I was
Mrs. Lincoln immediately after the assassina-
tion; there were within a few very minutes
after the assassination a crowd of the crowd
gentlemen who lived directly opposite, and
about in the back part of the house; I found
others there, and among others to a Assistant
of the army, and a man who was a friend
of mine; I was the case to my care, in conse-
quence of my profession to the family; I pro-
cessed him, and instantly found that he had
received a gun-shot wound in the back
of the head; I found the bullet in the
finger, and at once informed those around
that was hopeless; that the President would die;
I was very strong; that the President would
die; I was very strong; that the President
with him as long as it was of any use to do
anything, but at once nothing could be done.
Next morning about half past seven. I was
present when I found that he was dead.
Q Did you extract the bullet? A. Yes.
Q When the body was ready to be embalmed,
of Dr. Harner, the Surgeon General, and other
men, I was present; I was present; I was
present; the bullet was found on the interior
side of the brain; it was a large ball, round
shot from the pistol known as the Derringer;
it was a large ball—that is a larger ball than
any other ball.

Q Was it a loaded ball? A. Yes; a hand
from which the tag had been cut from the end
was flattened or compressed somewhat in the
through the skull, and the top part, and passed
into the brain; I marked that the bullet
of the initials of the President in the presence
Secretary of War, sealed it up with my pri-
vate and indented my name on the envelope;
I was present; I was present; I was present;
indented and sealed with my private seal;
in his custody, having been ordered to be placed
in the archives of his department.

Q Did you see the pistol from which the
bullet was fired?

TESTIMONY OF SERGEANT BILAS D.
By Judge Holt.—Q. State whether or not you
of the assassination of the President, you were
at the time? A. Yes.

Q Did you remember to have seen one
passing rapidly on horseback, and if so, at
A. I saw three men approach me rapidly on
between half-past ten and eleven o'clock,
that.

Q Did you challenge them? A. Yes, I
them and advanced to them to recognize them.
Q Did you recognize them? A. I satisfy
they were proper persons; I was not
of the men, I recognize either of those
among the prisoners here. Look the entire
of the box, from one end to the other. [It
certified each of the persons clearly, and
said.]

Q Could you describe either of those
of them? A. I could.

Q Did you think you would recognize either
by a photograph? A. I think I would.
[Photograph of Booth shown.] A. Yes.
passed first.

Q Alone? A. Yes.

Q Did you not say three came together,
three passed, but they were not together.

Q Did you have any conversation with
man as he passed? A. Yes; three or four men
as he passed. He gave me a card.
Booth.

Q What did he say? A. I asked him who
he said his name was Booth; I asked him who
he was; he said, "I was a man; I was a
going, he said, going home; I asked him
home was, he said, in Charles; which I under-
stand Charles County; I asked him what town
he didn't live in any town, I said, and he
said, "I was a man; I was a man; I was a
don't live in the town; I asked him why he
late, if he did not know persons were not per-
sons that that time of night, he said it was
late, and he was a man; I was a man; I was
and that he thought he would have a man.

Q How long before the other two men
came up? A. Next came up in five or seven, or possibly
minutes.

Q Did they seem to be riding rapidly or
slowly? A. The second one who came up did not
riding so rapidly.

Q What did he say? A. I asked him who
he was; he said, "I was a man; I was a
White Pines; I asked him who he came to
he, he made use of a rather indefinite word
from which I should judge he had been in
said. He was a large or a small-sized man.

Q Did you have a good view of his face?
I brought him up before the guard-house door
light could fall on his face.

Q Did you think of those men in size with
among the prisoners? (Harrold.) A. He is
size, but I should not think he was the man
a lighter complexion than that man.

Q Did you allow him to pass after that, ex-
cept?

Q What became of the other men? A. The
man turned back; he did not seem to have
business to warrant me in seeing him.

Q Did you see any other man? A. Yes.
Q Did he seem to be a companion of the per-
son before? A. I do not know.

Q Did they come up together? A. No; to
some distance apart.

Q Did you make any inquiry for Booth
horse? A. No.

Q Did the second one who had come up
inquiry to another horse? A. No.

Q What was the color of the second horse
was a gray horse.

Q What gait was he traveling—trotting?
did not seem to be trotting; I should think
he was a trotting horse.

Q Did you notice the size and color of
Booth's? A. Yes, a small-sized horse, rat-
tled-sized; a bright bay with a smooth, shin-
gle looked smooth, and as though he had
underneath restive and uneasy, much
than the rider.

Q Was it a horse or a mare? A. I could not
tell.

By the Court.—Q. Did Booth have spruce
could not tell me, my own eyes, very few
spruce, but rather to his general appearance.

Q I understood you to say that the second
on a light horse or a No. on a brown horse.
Q Would it be taken as a light horse? A. I
light horse, but would be readily distinguished
from a horse.

Q Was he a large-sized horse? A. No, a
sized horse; he carried his head down; he
carry it up like a spirited horse.

Q Did you distinguish as a bay
by moonlight? A. Yes.

Q Was the moon up at that time? A. I think
it was.

Q What time did the moon rise? A. I
collect the exact time; I suppose between 1
o'clock.

TESTIMONY OF FOLK GARNER.
By Judge Holt.—Q. State whether you were
road between Washington and Bryn Mawr
the 20th of April last? A. Yes, I was.

Q You were going to Washington? A. Yes.
Q State if you met one or more horsemen,
at what hour and under what circumstances
met you, and where? A. I met them at
Washington. In what direction? A. Going to Marl-
I met the first one on Good Hope Hill; he
about half a mile beyond.

Q Did they say anything to you? A. They
stopped, and I asked them the road to Marl-
I asked me if the road did not fork a little
if it did not turn to the right, I told him so,
straight ahead.

Q Was it dark enough for you to see him?
A. Yes, I think so.

Q What did the other one say? A. He said
to me; I heard him ask a question; whether
me or teamsters on the road, I do not know;
I answer him.

Q Was he behind the first one? A. I
half a mile, I reckon.

Q What was the appearance of his horse,
notice? A. It was a roan or iron gray.

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